

December 8th, 1925.

Mr. Albert S. Booth,  
Orchard Park, N.Y.

my dear Mr. Booth:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of November 30th.  
Pardon my delay in answering it. It is very encouraging to  
receive your kind letter of appreciation.

It is very gratifying to me to discover that the plain and  
simple exposition of the historic gospel of Christ is still  
effective and persuasive among men.

With the seasons greetings, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

December 8th, 1925.

Dr. Emily F. Swett,  
1205 West Ave.,  
Medina, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Swett:

Thank you very much for your kind letter and the copy of the poem you sent. Thank you also for the generous enclosure.

I am very happy that we can number you among our listeners at the service on Sunday. We find that it goes far and does a great deal of good.

With the seasons heartiest greetings, I am,

Sincerely yours,

December 8th, 1925.

Mrs. Ruth Winslow Green,  
208 Seventh St.,  
Jamestown, N.Y.

My dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of December 1st. It is very good of you to renew your old acquaintance with our church in this friendly way. I am very happy that you are able to worship with us in our service of last Sunday.

Mrs. Jesse Peterson is still an active member of our church and I took the liberty of showing her your letter. She was very much interested in it.

With all good wishes for the Christmas Season, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

December 8th, 1925.

Rev. Arthur H. Carter,  
Hunimede, Hounslow,  
Middlesex, England.

My dear Mr. Carter:

Thank you very much for your letter of November 20th. I am very glad indeed to learn that you are to be in the Country next Spring. I hope that I shall have the privilege of meeting you personally at that time. I profited and enjoyed very much your address which I heard last summer in Edinburgh. I was very glad to receive a printed copy of it.

I am forwarding your letter to the Rev. Doctor Clarence E. McCartney of Philadelphia a former moderator of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. and a leading fundamentalist in this Country. Perhaps he will be able to use you at sometime.

We are located only ninety miles from Toronto and it might be feasible to arrange a meeting at which you could speak. Perhaps Dr. Shield of Toronto could let me know of the date of your Toronto engagement and we might work ours in with that. Hoping to see you in due time and with all good wishes, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

December 10th, 1925.

Mr. A. E. Kee,  
50<sup>th</sup> Brock Ave.,  
Toronto, Ont.

My dear Mr. Kee:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of December 6th and the generous enclosure. I am very happy that you and Mrs. Kee enjoy our Sunday morning service. We shall be happy to think of you as listening in with the rest of our great invisible congregation.

With the very kindest regards, and the seasons greetings, I am,

Sincerely yours,

December 16th, 1925.

Mr. W. A. Campbell,  
R. F. D. 3,  
Silver Creek, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Campbell:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of December 13th. I have the pleasure of a slight acquaintance with Mr. Dudley the pastor at Silver Creek.

We have many letters about our radio services and appreciation in every one.

With the seasons heartiest greetings and all good wishes, I am,

Cordially yours,

December 16th, 1925.

Mrs. W. S. Brown,  
225 High St.,  
Glassboro, N.J.

My dear Mrs. Brown:

Thank you for your letter of recent date. It is indeed hard to let our love ones go far from us, but after all the work of the Kingdom of God is the greatest work and the best work and throughout all eternity we shall be supremely happy that we have been able to have a slight share in it.

I am enclosing a copy of a sermon which you may enjoy looking over.

With the seasons heartiest greetings and all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

December 16th, 1925.

Mr. Charles Aldous,  
841 Elmwood Ave.,  
Niagara Falls, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Aldous:

Thank you very much for your kind note of December 7th and the generous enclosure. We appreciate very much your thoughtfulness in sending it to us.

With the seasons heartiest greetings and good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

December 16th, 1925.

Mr. William Hesher, Sr.,  
Ransomville, N.Y.  
R.D. 24.

My dear Mr. Hesher:

Thank you again for your kind note and enclosure. We have received several each one of which is deeply appreciated.

It would be a great pleasure to meet you at the church some Sunday.

With the seasons heartiest greetings and all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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Hillcrest -

Trenton Ont R R 2

Dec 20<sup>th</sup> / 25

Rev Stewart Robertson:

Dear Pastor -

I hope I may call you by  
that beautiful name - as I  
am one of the many radio  
listeners on Sunday morning  
or have been for a few  
Sundays as I have only got  
the Lockport station a  
short time ago - however  
I want to say we have  
enjoyed every bit of the  
service from the beginning

of the Bell to the very last  
we all feel a deep spiritual  
feeling oh we do enjoy your  
sermons so much and we  
have received a wonderful  
blessing. I wish I could  
express just the way we  
all feel about this I  
am glad to tell you  
we are Gods children.  
We read with you sing  
with you and enjoy the  
beautiful Tenor ~~Singer~~  
~~Singer~~  
I hope if ever you

Come to Canada you will honor  
us by coming to see us we  
live in a lovely spot between  
Trenton and Belleville and we  
have some splendid Presbyterians  
in Trenton.

Again I thank you  
for the lovely sermons for the  
last few Sundays back and  
hope to enjoy them many more.  
Enclose \$100 for any time  
you wish to do with it at

wishing you the  
Season's Greetings  
With long life to  
Preach to the People

Sincerely yours

Mrs. F. A. Gardner

Trenton Ont R.R.2

## MRS. ALZIRA GREENE

On the last day of 1925, Mrs. Alzira Gaines Greene passed away at her home, 43 Court street, Lancaster, N. Y., after an illness of less than twenty-four hours. Chronic Myocarditis was the immediate cause of her death.

Funeral services were conducted at her late home at 2:30 p. m., Saturday, January 2, 1926, Rev. Harry J. Aldrich of Kenmore, officiating. Burial was in the Christian cemetery at Castile, N. Y., Sunday, Jan. 3rd, the services there being conducted by Rev. McMichael, pastor of the Christian church of which Mrs. Greene was a member from early womanhood.

Alzira R. Gaines, born on March 2, 1837, was one of a family of six children of Sarah Derby, daughter of Jonathan Gilbert and Solomon Gaines, who conducted a silver smith business in the house now known as "The Maples." Mrs. Greene was a sister of Alamanzer Gaines, who founded The Castilian and who was proprietor of this paper for many years.

On September 11, 1854, she was married to David E. Greene of Castile. For a number of years they resided in Mosherville, Michigan. In 1870 they moved to Pike, N. Y., where Mr. Greene was in company with his two brothers, Mr. George A. Greene and Mr. J. Frank Greene in the well known woolen mills. They made their home in Pike until Mr. Greene's death in November, 1912, at which time Mrs. Greene took up her residence in Lancaster, N. Y.

Music was always a prominent feature in this family and during the last year she has greatly enjoyed the radio. Notwithstanding the fact that she was nearly ninety, she made ready each Sunday morning, seated in her easy chair to "listen in" to the sermon of Rev. Stuart Robinson of Lockport, N. Y. She liked him best for "he talked right on the Bible," she would say. She was a kind, good neighbor, loved her home and her family and put in the little kindnesses and loving touches which make "Home Sweet Home."

Mrs. Greene is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. G. Dickson of Lancaster, N. Y., and Mrs. E. E. VanNatter of Holland, N. Y.; one sister, Mrs. Sibyl Bixby of Buffalo; Heath of Lancaster, N. Y.; eight nieces, Mrs. Bert Smith of Castile, Mrs. Grace Forbes of Gary, Indiana, Mrs. Mattie Mitchener and Mrs. Jessie Jones of Kalamazoo, Michigan; Miss Cordelia A. Greene and Mrs. Mary Greene Phillips of Rochester, N. Y., Dr. Mary T. Greene of C

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th.

Aug. 21, 1926

Arthur Out  
Dec 20/23

Dear Mr. Robinson:  
I have been listening  
to your splendid  
services for several  
Sunday mornings  
and wish to thank you  
for them.

I am a fifteen year old  
boy and have been in  
bed for three months  
but will soon be up.  
The radio is helping

speaking I never  
miss anything in the  
service from beginning  
to end. The music is fine.  
We have a three  
tube radio with  
loudspeaker. Your  
praise can be our flat  
head all over the house  
so it is just like  
going to church.  
When I was first  
sick we hadn't a  
radio so the church  
services were missed.

I me pass the time  
and your sermons  
are helping me  
spiritually.

My parents hear  
a part of your service  
before going to our  
own church - the  
United Church - at  
eleven. They also  
like your service.

Thanks to Wm & C.  
and to your splendid

After being out of  
church so long I  
certainly enjoy  
hearing a service.  
We were through  
Plockport, once, on our  
way to Rochester.

Plockport is certainly  
a nice place

I look forward to  
hearing your service  
every Sunday.  
Wishing you and your  
church a very Merry  
Christmas and a

Happy New Year.

Fremont,

Yours sincerely  
V. Harold Fair.

P.S.

Arthur is on the  
Hamilton - Owen  
Sound Highway. It  
is one hundred miles  
from Niagara Falls by  
road.

H.F.

198 Westmount Ave  
Rev Stewart Robinson      Toronto, Can  
Dear Sir.      Dec 20<sup>th</sup> / 25: Ans

We heard you say over the Radio this morning, that it is just a year ago to day since you started broadcasting. so we thought we would send \$5 for the Radio Fund. as we have received a lot of benefit and pleasure through listening in to your church service. the sermons always seem far too short. Now I am going to ask you for two things. mine is an English church Hymn book. could you manage to read the first line

of the Hymn, so as we could find  
it and follow the singing.

and - I don't know how you will  
take this, but as I have been a  
Chukin for 9 yrs. getting on to 60  
yrs old, I am going to venture.  
Have you a photo of yourself  
to spare. I always like to look  
at the minister when he is  
preaching, now if this is too  
much just forget this last request.

Wishing you a happy Christmas  
and  
Prosperous New Year.

yours sincerely  
(Mrs) Clara E. Worthy.

Garden Hill Dec 20-25-  
Ont. Canada.

Rev. Stewart Robinson.  
Lockport. N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robinson.

Just a line to let  
you know that we listened  
with pleasure and profit this  
morning to your sermon  
from Luke 2. 11. 12.

I have a friend, an old lady  
of advanced years, a sincere  
Christian, who comes in quite  
frequently, to listen in, and  
we wished you to know,

that your sermons, have meant  
so much to us, and find great  
comfort listening to you messengers  
which we hear so plain.

Wishing you continued ~~success~~ and  
Gods blessing upon your good  
work.

Also wishing you a Happy Christmas  
and a peaceful New Year.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs Annie Widdis  
Garden Hill  
Ont. Can.

P.S. I keep a note book in which  
I write little.

11 Cedar Ave  
Hamilton Ont.  
Canada  
Dec 20/35

The Rev. Stewart M. Robinson,

Dear Sir,

I am writing to let you know how thoroughly we enjoyed your service this morning. I am quite sure it was an inspiration to everyone hearing it.

Your sermon would not help touching the heart, and giving to all the the Christian spirit in every sense of the word.

You could not help feeling  
better and closer to  
Our Dear Saviour, by  
having His temple in the  
your home and expressing  
service. I wish to thank  
you for my husband and  
myself, and we will  
certainly be returning  
for your service next  
Sunday. Wishing for you  
and your congregation all  
the compliments of the  
Service.

Lincerely yours  
A. R. & family

Middleport N.Y.  
Dec 20-25

Mr. Stuart Robinson  
Lockport N.Y.

Dear Sir -

May I tell you how much we enjoyed your Christmas services? My mother is nearly eighty-three years of age - in poor health and a shut-in. We all just been having a Radio installed and here she does enjoy the good things ~~she~~ is enabled to hear that other will ~~enjoy~~ she would be without. She especially enjoys services, and music & singing on Sundays. Again I want to say how much we did appreciate the services this morning -

Sincerely yours  
Mrs Ernest Fahey  
RFD 36

Little Fork, New York

Dec 20 - 1925

Rev. Stuart M. Robinson  
Lockport  
N.Y.

My dear Mr. Robinson It is a great pleasure to tell you we did so much enjoy your service this morning -

Your message was so simple so plain and so great. I wish every body every where could have heard it. I wish I had it in short hand so I could read it again and again, and pass it round - what an opportunity and what a responsibility for the man who is privileged to broadcast. We have only two children (girls) both married to ministers. One, pastor of Heddings M.E. church in Elmira, the other pastor of Trinity M.E. church in Auburn, so we know what good preaching is. God grant you many years to spread the message -

The cut is taken at home (Mrs Thos) Hattie Edson Phelps  
in Little Fork N.Y. Sincerely  
taken Oct 10/25

Stirling ont  
Dec 21/25

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson  
First Presbyterian Church  
Lockport, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

The purpose of this letter  
is to thank you for your  
excellent sermon yesterday  
morning. It came to me  
by radio in a good,  
clear voice. I am sure  
I heard you as well as  
any member of your own  
congregation. Your sermon  
gave your listeners a good  
deal of food for thought.  
I especially appreciated  
the privilege of hearing it.

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Sterby is located 120 miles  
east of Toronto and 15 miles  
north of Lake Ontario.  
—

I am sure it must be  
gratifying to you to know  
that you are preaching  
not only to your own con-  
gregation but to hundred  
or perhaps thousands in  
all directions from Lockport.  
Personally I consider it  
a great privilege to be  
able to listen to a good  
sermon over the radio,  
such as you gave yesterday  
morning, when I find it  
impossible to attend my  
own church service.

May I express the hope  
that I shall be permitted  
to listen to many ~~and~~  
more of your sermons  
Yours very truly  
J.D. Mills

December 24th, 1925.

Mr. Edward J. Merriam,  
Crandford, N.J.

My dear Mr. Merriam:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of December 20th. I am very happy indeed that you happen to listen in to our service on Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Foster were sitting near the front in their accustom place. I am taking the liberty of forwarding your letter to them knowing how interested they will be at this word from you.

With very kindest regards and the seasons greetings, I am,

Most sincerely yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mrs. F. A. Gardner,  
Clinton, Ont.  
A.F.D.B.

My dear Mrs. Gardner:

Thank you for your kind letter and the generous enclosure. I am very happy to know that you are able to enjoy our radio services. We have a great many letters from friends far and near. We think of you all as joining with us Sunday by Sunday.

With very kindest regards and all good wishes for the New Year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mr. Burson C. Smith,  
North Port, Ont. Canada.

My dear Mr. Smith:

Thank you very much for your kind note of December 20th. I am very happy to know that you are able to worship with us through the Radio.

With very kindest regards and New Year Greetings, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mr. Henry W. Marks,  
Pickering, Ont.  
R.F.D. 2.

My dear Mr. Marks:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of December 23rd. I am very happy to know that your father is able to enjoy our church service through the radio. Please remember me to him and accept for yourself and all of your family my very heartiest New Year Greetings.

Very truly yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mr. Harold Fair,  
Arthur, Ont.

My dear Harold:

I was very glad indeed to see your good letter of December 20th. It was very gratifying to me to have you take the trouble to write me. I am sorry that you have been sick and glad that you hope to be about again soon.

Your interest in the church and the services of worship is a very fine sign in a boy of your age. Please accept my very hearty New Year Greetings and all good wishes for your future.

Sincerely yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mr. Ira S. Foster,  
Wolcott, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Foster:

Thank you very much for your kind note and the Christmas card. I appreciate very much your remembrance of me. It is very gratifying to know that you are able to join with us in our services. I believe you were good enough to write us on a previous occasion.

With all good wishes for the New Year, I am,

Very truly yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mrs. F. M. Somerville,  
16 Inverlea Ave.,  
Peterboro, Ont.

My dear Mrs. Somerville:

Thank you very much for your good letter of appreciation of our radio services. It was most thoughtful of you to take the trouble to write us so much in detail. It will be a pleasure to me to hand your letter on to some others who will be glad to read it.

I am enclosing a calendar and copy of the Christmas sermon.

With all good wishes for the New Year, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mr. Robert E. McKenzie,  
544 Bolivar St.,  
Peterboro, Ont.

My dear Mr. McKenzie:

Thank you very much for your Christmas card and the kind note upon it. Permit me to wish you the heartiest greetings for the New Year and prosperity and peace.

Very truly yours,

December 29th, 1925.

Mrs. Adelia Bovay,  
Crofton, Ont.

My dear Mrs. Bovay:

Thank you very much for your kind letter and the little booklet. I am very happy to know that you are able to enjoy the worship of God through our radio service. It is very encouraging to know of your interest and sympathy.

With all good wishes for the New Year, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

DAD

Porterville December 29 1925

Dear Brother

This is Rather funny way of  
Entrolding my Self too you not knowing  
your name Dont no it makes any difserats  
too you now for the last few Sundays  
I have listened too your humans and  
your churc its strikes me your an  
old fashion Preacher which Preaches  
the Gospol and your Singing is  
great havin little time am writin this  
letter not able too P Laibor Eny more  
that gives me time too write some letters  
will give you little acount of self  
about six weeks ago got Run over by  
an Auto Hunt midin Bed inn My age fired  
Bed My age is 81. was in the Civil War

You got a lot too mention in my burginy  
my Holliege of your Harmonis & I got on  
the Raids how if you git this would  
you Please give me a short letter telling  
me your name and age yours with the  
most Charily and love and Regards

Addison O Bresnick  
Portville, N.Y.

Box, 316

